

-- 9. An optical signal transmission device composed by laminating a plurality of the optical signal transmission substrates as stated in claim 2 in such a manner that the optical signal transmission areas of the respective substrates overlap one another, wherein the light receiving element is located in any one of the optical signal transmission substrates so as to be opposed to the light emitting element provided in any one of the other optical signal transmission substrates. --

REMARKS

Claims 1-9 are pending. By this Preliminary Amendment, claim 4 is amended and claims 8 and 9 are added to eliminated multiple dependencies. Prompt and favorable examination on the merits is solicited.

Respectfully submitted,



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